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FOR: INFORMATION PROVIDING :  
DEVICE, METHOD, PROGRAM AND  
RECORDING MEDIUM, AND USER  
AUTHENTICATION DEVICE, METHOD,  
PROGRAM AND RECORDING MEDIUM

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 9, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.